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Ser. No. : 09/545,658)
Filed : 4/10/2000)
For : MULTI-MEDIA INTERACTIVE)
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Dear Sir:

This is a Refund Request in connection with the above-captioned matter.

Statement of Facts:

- 1) On February 27, 2004, Applicant filed an amendment in the above captioned authorizing i) late fee payment of \$475, ii) excess total claims surcharge fee of \$72, and iii) excess independent claims surcharge fee of \$43 (total fees: \$590) to be charged against the undersigned attorney's PTO charge account (#50-1746);
- 2) On March 5, 2004 the PTO charged authorized fees of \$475 to the undersigned attorney's PTO charge account.
- 3) On March 8, 2004 the PTO charged authorized fees of \$15 (\$72 + \$43) to the undersigned attorney's PTO charge account.
- 4) On March 15, 2004 Applicant filed a substitute mailing declaration attesting to the February 27, 2004 filing date of the above-noted Amendment (actually filed on February 27, 2004, but inadvertently dated April 27, 2004). The original amendment and transmittal were attached as an exhibit to the declaration.

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5) On March 15, 2004 the PTO inadvertently re-entered the declaration and the attached exhibit as an official amendment to the application. 2004 JUN 7 AM 11: 29

6) On March 17, 2004 the PTO charged the previously authorized fees of \$590 (\$475 + \$72 + \$43) to the undersigned attorney's PTO charge account.

7) As a result of the foregoing actions Applicant was charged twice for filing the same amendment in the same case.

8) Applicant requests a refund in the amount of \$590 to be promptly credited to the undersigned attorney's PTO charge account (#50-1746).

Supporting Documents:

(X) Copy of March 2004 Statement of Deposit Account indicating the double-charges in highlighter.

Other Information:

(X) Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, now or in the future, or credit any over-payment, to Account No. 50-1746. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

(X) Return prepaid postcard enclosed.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Amendment in 13 pages.
 An extension of time to respond for 1 month(s) is hereby requested.

Time Extension Fee:

one month (\$55 small entity)
 two months (\$210 small entity)
 three months (\$475 small entity)

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 27, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below:

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